

English

Narrative

Traditional Tales and Fairy Tales. We will be looking at traditional stories, and becoming 'Fairytale Detectives' to explore Jack and the Beanstalk.

Non Fiction

Recounts and dictionaries, including alphabetical order. We will be making our own non-fiction booklets.

MFL: French

We will continue to develop our French vocabulary, taking part in simple conversations. We will cover family, pets and days of the week

PE

Games – bat and ball skills to develop hand eye coordination.

Gymnastics – points and patches to develop basic gymnastic movements and balances using different parts of the body.

Visit/Visitors

Explore plants and trees in the school environment. Possible visit to Jesmond Dene to explore the plants growing and our natural world.

Scientific enquiry

Plants

We will be indentifying and naming a variety of common, wild and garden plants and growing our own beans and plants. We will look at the structure of common flowering plants, including trees.

Seasonal Change

We will be exploring the change in seasons from Winter to Spring.

Music

We will be listening to and learning songs to perform in our Easter Assembly.

We will be thinking about rhythm and pace. Charanga/Sing up

Design Technology

Mechanisms – we will be exploring wheels and axles – designing, creating and evaluating our own wheel barrows!

Growing Spring Term second half

Geography

Fieldwork

We will use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of our school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of its surrounding environment.

Art and Design

Form – we will be using modelling material to create 3D art work. We will explore materials and use a variety of tools to make known objects for a purpose – e.g. a clay plant pot.

Easter Crafts

Maths

Fractions - recognise, find and name a half and quarter of an object, shape or quantity

Addition and Subtraction - solve one-step problems that involve addition and subtraction Number bonds within 10 and 20.

Geometry - describe position, direction and movement; recognise and name common 3d shapes

Measures – tell the time and explore money

PSHCE

Circle time activities. SEAL's activities/themes

We will be thinking about 'icy and sunny words' and how our words and actions can affect others. We will also be discussing our worries.

We will be exploring how to keep ourselves and others safe inside and outside. Linking to science, we will be looking at living things and their needs.

R.E: Belonging. - what groups do we belong to, how do religious groups welcome someone new, what does it mean to belong to a Christian group, what does it mean to belong to a religious group. We will have a visit from members of the Christian Church. We will spend a day celebrating Chinese New Year.

Easter - what things are important to you, why is Easter an important time for Christians

Computing

Action Algorithms – we will explore programmes which require input of instructions to create movement. We will be thinking about how instructions are used within technology.